

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 6, line 1 with the following:

--As shown in Fig. 2, the metal lip jig rig **10** comprises a metal lip **20** with a top portion **24** and a bottom portion **26** to help the metal lip jig rig **10** sink and wobble when placed in water and also let out in river current. The metal lip jig rig **10** further comprises a punched out strap **30** that is used to receive a fishing line (not shown), a first aperture **40** on the top portion **24** of the metal lip **20** to potentially rivet a first hook **50** or a spinner wire (Fig. 5) to the metal lip jig rig **10**. There is also a second aperture **60** on the bottom portion **26** of the metal lip **20** to potentially receive and hold a second hook (Fig. 3) and a plurality of spurs **70** on the area provided between the bottom portion **26** and the top portion **28** **24** that can be wrapped around a third hook (Fig. 4) to potentially receive and hold a third hook (not shown). Fig. 2 illustrates the first embodiment of the metal lip jig rig **10** with a first hook **50**, which is connected to the **first second** aperture **60** **40**. The first hook **50** depicted on the metal lip jig rig **10** is a weedless hook.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 6, line 18 with the following:

--Fig. 3 illustrates the second embodiment of the metal lip jig rig **80**. The second embodiment of the metal lip jig rig **80** is different than the first embodiment of the metal lip jig rig **10** in that the area between the bottom portion and the top portion **28** is without spurs **70** and is twisted 90 degrees. A **second** hook **90** is provided at the second aperture **60**. The second embodiment of the metal lip jig rig **80** also has a lead line **100** and a **second fourth** hook **110**, which are provided at the second aperture **60**. In this second embodiment **80**, the metal lip **20** can act like a lead sinker (not shown), which it would safely replace.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 6 with the following:

-- Fig. 4 illustrates the third embodiment of the metal lip jig rig 120. The third embodiment of the metal lip jig rig 120 has a first hook 50 that is riveted at the first aperture 40 and a second hook 90 that has holds an is in the form of artificial bait (an artificial minnow 130). Other forms of artificial bait can include other soft plastic bait such as a soft plastic worm (not shown). The second hook 90 can also hold types of live bait as well such as cut bait, frozen bait, and live minnows (not shown).--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 15 with the following:

-- Fig. 5 illustrates a fourth embodiment of the metal lip jig rig 140. This embodiment of the metal lip jig rig has a spinner wire 150 at the first aperture 40 and a second hook 90 and feathers 160 provided therewith. Additionally, the area between the first aperture 40 and the second aperture 28 60 is provided with Chenalle wire 170 and artificial eyes 180. These fishing lure accessories are well-known to those that are schooled in the related art. Like all of the embodiments of the metal lip jig rig, the metal lip 20 provided has raised edges 22 and is used in lieu of lead sinkers and lead jigs (not shown).--

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Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 8, line 3 with the following:

-- Fig. 6 illustrates the fifth embodiment of the metal lip jig rig 190. The fifth embodiment of the metal lip jig rig 190 has an area between the first aperture and the second aperture 60 **28** that is an area molded over **200**. To accommodate the area molded over **200** at the area between the first aperture and the second aperture **28**, the plurality of spurs **70** provided in the first embodiment of the metal lip jig rig **10** are replaced with bait holders **75**. The plurality of spurs **70** are typically made of bendable wire that can hold a third hook (not shown) or bait, while bait holders **75** act like spikes, with bait being stuck on the angled bait holder **75**. The area molded over **200** is a smooth and clean surface that is produced with non-toxic metal or plastic polymer.--